



## **Culworth Culworth in Ten Years**

This document contains the results of the questionnaire circulated throughout the village as part of the village plan, an initiative under the auspices of the Culworth Parish Council, and for which Culworth is one of Northamptonshire's pilot villages.

The questionnaire was put together by the Steering Committee, with particular input from Karin Cook and Michelle Koster. It was hand-delivered to every house in the village, and collected again, by a number of volunteers. The table below shows the basic data.

Properties in Village - 180  
Refused - 7  
Returned Blank - 6  
Completed - 121  
Total response - 134 (77.5% of eligible)  
Eligible - 173 (remaining unoccupied)

For the present report, all the information from the questionnaires has been exported from the database, and nothing has been done in the way of analysis. The data is therefore in its raw form. It will be possible to interrogate the database, in order to obtain more specific and detailed information. All comments have been reproduced here verbatim, and without any change to spelling, phrasing etc.

It is intended that the data now available will be used at the next village plan day, to inform the activities of the Parish Council, Steering Committee, Facilitators and villagers, as we start to put together our plan for Culworth.

*The views in this report are the undedited and uncensored opinions of the villagers of Culworth.*

HOUSEHOLD SECTION

Question Number : 1

How many people including children normally live in your household? 303

Question Number: 2 Please enter the number of people in your household in each age group:

	Male	Female
0-4	2	7
5-10	10	7
11-15	13	11
16-17	12	2
18-24	11	10
25-44	35	40
45-59	43	40
60-64	14	5
65-74	13	19
75-84	3	5
85+	1	0

Question Number : 3 Where does your household live?

Barley Hill	12 (9.9%)
Sulgrave Road/Walnut Close/Queens Stree	19 (15.7%)
Queens Street/Banbury Lane/Back lane	21 (17.4%)
High Street/The Green	29 (24.0%)
High Street/Bridge Street	33 (27.3%)
Outlying farms & Houses	7 (5.8 %)

Question Number : 4 Enter the number of children under 16 in your household who attend the following :

Play group	5
Nursery school	4
Primary school	21
Middle school	5
Secondary school	17
School for those with special needs	0
Other	3

Question Number : 5 Please enter the number of people in your household over 16 who attend the following :

Sixth form college	4
University	11
Training courses	12

Question Number : 6 How many roadworthy vehicles are kept by your household?

Cars	194
Vans	14
Motor bikes	10
Scooters/Mopeds	4
Bicycles (used at least once a week)	32
Lorries	1
Other (please specify)	7

Other:

Landrover & tractor

2 tractors

3 Landrovers

Question Number : 7 How many private cars/vans are used by your household during the week for journeys to work or education outside Culworth?

134

Question Number : 8 How many dogs do you have at your household ?

65

PERSONAL SECTION

[in this section, the number in square parentheses indicates number of respondents to the question]

Question Number : 9 [261]

Sex	
Male	130 (49%)
Female	131 (50%)

Question Number : 10 [260]

What age group do you belong to?

11-15	21 (8.1%)
16-17	12 (4.6%)
18-24	14 (5.4%)
25-44	72 (27.7%)
45-59	81 (31.2%)
60-64	20 (7.7%)
65-74	31 (11.9%)
75-84	8 (3.1%)
85+	1 (0.4%)

Question Number : 11 [251]

How long have you lived in Culworth ?

Less than a year	17 (6.8%)
1-5 years	49 (19.5%)
6-15 years	88 (35.1%)
16-25 years	52 (20.7%)
26-50 years	30 (12.0%)
51 + years	2 (0.8%)
Whole life	13 (5.2%)

Question Number : 12 [253]

How did you come to live in Culworth ?

Born here	27 (10.7%)
Work in area	60 (23.7%)
Relatives live nearby	28 (11.1%)
Love of village life	63 (24.9%)
Love of country life	69 (27.3%)
Retired here	15 (5.9%)
Marriage/Setting up home	37 (14.6%)
Came with family	55 (21.7%)
Other (please specify)	21 (8.3%)

Additional comments

Council House  
!2 way between job & relatives  
was cheap

The right property  
 1/2 way between two working places  
 Moved locally  
 came to family farm  
 Lived in eydon but saw property in Culworth and liked it  
 Moved in to lover's home  
 Allocated Council House  
 To be near nursing home  
 House we liked and could afford  
 Chose Culworth

Question Number : 13 [181]

Where is your main place of work?

Culworth	53 (29.3%)
Banbury	35 (19.3%)
Daventry	4 (2.2%)
Northampton	2 (1.1%)
London	7 (3.9%)
National	15 (8.3%)
International	11 (6.1%)
Other (please specify)	54 (29.8%)

Other:	13
60 miles around Banbury	1
At home	1
Bicester	1
Brackley	5
Buckingham	1
Chacombe	2
Chipping Warden	6
Culworth & surrounding area	1
Gaydon	5
Greatworth	1
Helmdon	1
Kidlington	2
Milton Keynes	1
Oxford	3
Retired	9
Silverstone	1
Student at uni	1
Surrounding area 20 mile radius of Banbury	1
Thame	1
Towcester	2
Towcester/Wimbledon	1

Question Number : 14 [220]

What is, or would be, your main means of transport to work, training or study?

Car/Van	139 (63.0%)
Public Bus	3 (1.4%)
School Bus	11 (5.0%)
Taxi	2 (0.9%)

Bicycle	0 (0.0%)
Motor-cycle/Scooter/Moped	4 (1.8%)
Bus & Train	0 (0.0%)
Car & Train	10 (4.5%)
Walking	20 (9.1%)
Work at home	19 (8.6%)
Other	0 (0.0%)
Not applicable	12 (5.5%)

Question Number : 15 [ 49]

If you run a business, into which category does it fall?

Agriculture/Horticulture	10 (20.4%)
Food Processing	1 (2.0%)
Retail	4 (8.2%)
Construction	2 (4.1%)
Finance/Professional Services	11 (22.4%)
Manufacturing	2 (4.1%)
Transport	0 (0.0%)
Tourism e.g.hotels catering B & B	2 (4.1%)
Other Service e.g. hairdressing	5 (10.2%)
Other (please specify)	12 (24.5%)

Other:	
Childminding	1
Medical	1
Garden design	1
Marketing	1
Editorial/Research	1
Silversmith	1

Question Number : 16 [241]

Are you registered as disabled?

Yes	8 (3.3%)
No	233 (96.7%)

Question Number : 17 [247]

Do you have a health problem/disability which restricts your lifestyle?

Yes	26 (10.5%)
No	221 (89.5%)

Question Number : 18 [228]

Are you a driver who has daytime access to a vehicle?

Yes	189 (82.9%)
No	39 (17.1%)

Question Number : 19 [206]

If yes, what do you use the vehicle for?

Business journeys	73 (35.4%)
Transport to work	107 (51.%)
Shopping	144 (69.%)
Social & leisure activities	155 (75. %)
Transporting children to school/college	34 (16.5%)
Transporting children to social/leisure	57 (27.7%)
Other	7 (3.4%)
Not applicable	14 (6.8%)

Question Number : 20 [202]

If responsible for a vehicle, where do you usually park it?

In a garage (on this plot)	55 (27.2%)
In a garage elsewhere	2 (1.0%)
On driveway	71 (35.1%)
Off the road	29 (14.4%)
On the road	31 (15.3%)
Not applicable	14 (6.9%)

Question Number : 21 [114]

Do you ever experience the following parking problems in Culworth?

Nowhere to park	24 (21.1%)
Cars blocking your entrance	39 (34.2%)
School traffic blocking the road	85 (74.6%)
Delivery vehicles blocking the road	29 (25.4%)
Other (please specify)	11 (9.6%)

Other
Other people's visitors taking our parking space
Inconsiderate parking on pavements & near bends/junctions
Builder's vehicles when working on other properties
Car has been damaged due to cars squeezing past - also speeding through village - cars mount pavement on opposite side of road with no consideration for residents
Very difficult for delivery lorries entering Banbury Lane - often impossible due to cars parked at junction
Tractors
No parking from Green Down
Cars parked on pavement

Question Number : 22 [167]

Do you share private vehicles with other people for?

Travelling to work	8 (4.8%)
Taking children to school/college	15 (9.0%)
Shopping	17 (10.2%)
Social and leisure activities	36 (21.6%)
Taking children to social/leisure activ	22 (13.2%)
Other	2 (1.2%)
Not applicable	110 (65. %)

Question Number : 23 [160]

Would you be prepared to take part in a scheme to share private vehicles for?

	often	occasionally	never
Travelling to work	12 (7.5%)	16 (10.0%)	39 (24.4%)
Taking children to school/college	18 (11.3%)	9 (5.6%)	24 (15.0%)
Shopping	6 (3.8%)	46 (28.8%)	30 (18.8%)
Social and leisure activities	10 (6.3%)	53 (33.1%)	18 (11.3%)
Taking children to social/leisure activities	13 (8.1%)	24 (15.0%)	26 (16.3%)
Other	0 (0.0%)	2 (1.3%)	8 (5.0%)
Not applicable	12 (7.5%)	0 (0.0%)	35 (21.9%)

Question Number : 24 [234]

Which of the following is your major means of transport?

Car/van	211 (90. %)
Bus	14 (6.0% )
Taxi	3 (1.3%)
Bicycle	0 (0.0%)
Motor-cycle/Scooter/Moped	3 (1.3%)
Walking	3 (1.3%)

Question Number : 25 [114]

If you use the bus, what do you use it for and how often?

	often	occasionally	never
Work	1 (0.9%)	2 (1.8%)	56 (49.1%)
School/college	8 (7.0%)	8 (7.0%)	54 (47.4%)
Shopping	10 (8.8%)	23 (20.2)	47 (41.2%)
Medical Visits	2 (1.8%)	4 (3.5%)	54 (47.4%)
Social or Leisure	2 (1.8%)	22 (19.3)	52 (45.6%)
Other	1 (0.9%)	1 (0.9%)	31 (27.2%)

Question Number : 26 [192]

Would you like to see any improvements in the bus service with regard to?

Routes	44 (22.9%)
Timetable	74 (38.5%)
Cost	11 (5.7% )
Reliability	43 (22.4%)
Bus Stop location	5 (2.6%)
Access for those with disabilities	21 (10.9%)
No opinion	98 (51.0%)

Question Number : 27 [219]

Would you support the following speed control measures in Culworth ?

Extension of the speed limit	75 (34.2%)
Reduction in the speed limit	117 (53. %)
Traffic calming	109 (49. %)
Children at play signs	89 (40.6%)
More road warning signs	75 (34.2%)
None of the above	26 (11.9%)

Question Number : 28 [221]

Do you think that the traffic problems in Culworth are related to any of the following?

General congestion	49 (22.2%)
Lack of parking	110 (49. %)
Lorry traffic	49 (22.2%)
School traffic	170 (76.%)
Pedestrian/vehicle conflict	30 (13.6%)
Traffic speed	133 (60. %)
Need for wider footpaths	26 (11.8%)
Need for traffic regulation	53 (24.0%)
Need for more public transport	44 (19.9%)

Question Number : 29 [214]

What kind of accommodation do you think Culworth needs?

Homes for young people	111 (51. %)
Large family homes	8 (3.7%)
Small family homes	77 (36.0%)
Executive homes	4 (1.9%)
Homes for people with disabilities	22 (10.3%)
Homes for single people	44 (20.6%)
No further homes are needed	85 (39.7%)
Other	8 (3.7%)

Question Number : 30 [217]

What type(s) of housing development would be acceptable in Culworth ?

None	65 (30.0%)
Single dwellings in controlled location	73 (33.6%)
Small group(s) of less than 10	50 (23.0%)
Carefully designed larger group(s)	7 (3.2%)
Conversion of redundant buildings	112 (51. %)
Expansion at the edge of the village	39 (18.0%)
Other (please specify)	4 (1.8%)

Other	
Flats/maisonettes	
Affordable housing	until matched by service provision
Low cost housing	
Bungalows for older residents to free up council houses, where acceptable	
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Question Number : 31 [213]

Do you think sufficient publicity is given to planning applications which affect Culworth ?

Yes	53 (24.9%)
No	96 (45.1%)
No opinion	64 (30.0%)

Question Number : 32 [199]

What are your views on local social facilities for?

	good	reasonable	poor	no opinion
Children up to 16	5 (2.5%)	31 (15.6%)	97 (48.7%)	16 (8.0%)
Young people 17-25	0 (0.0%)	19 (9.5%)	106 (53. %)	21 (10.6 %)
People 26-60	1 (0.5%)	69 (34.7 %)	63 (31.7%)	21 (10.6 %)
People over 60	31 (15.6 %)	74 (37.2%)	11 (5.5%)	28 (14.1%)

Question Number : 33 [166]

Do you experience any of the following difficulties in getting to Spiceball, Daventry or Towcester Leisure Centres ?

No transport	12 (7.2%)
No one else to go with	10 (6.0%)
Opening times are inconvenient	13 (7.8%)
Costs too great	12 (7.2%)
No wheelchair access	0 (0.0%)
Parking inconvenient	8 (4.8%)
Wrong age group	11 (6.6%)
Do not attend	115 (69. %)
Other (please specify)	6 (3.6%)

Other
use private facilities
use private facilities
To far anyway
No difficulties
No difficulties
No difficulties
No difficulties

Question Number : 34 [141]

Which new sports clubs/activities would you attend in Culworth if they were provided?

Youth football	19 (13.5%)
Badminton	51 (36.2%)
Darts	15 (10.6%)
Judo	7 (5.0%)
Aunt Sally	8 (5.7%)
Pool/Snooker	26 (18.4%)
Tennis	84 (59.6%)
Volleyball	17 (12.1%)
Yoga	41 (29.1%)
Skateboard ramp	17 (12.1%)
BMX/Scooter track	10 (7.1%)

Question Number: 35 How could sports facilities in Culworth be improved?

Proper net at cricket pitch  
Good maintenance of football field  
Village tennis court  
Tennis Court (could be used for netball etc as well)  
Tennis Court (could be used for netball etc as well)  
Tennis Court (could be used for netball etc as well)  
Tennis Court (could be used for netball etc as well)  
Sports hall/Pavilion with changing/catering facilities available to all  
Sports hall/Pavilion with changing/catering facilities available to all  
New village hall incorporating new cricket/sports club  
That would depend on what people wanted to do  
A new village hall built with sports & social activities considered in design  
A new village hall linked to a new school building and cricket club  
Some provision of public space  
Reinstate the swimming pool associated with the school  
Create a bigger better hall  
Better facilities for more different activities  
Better facilities for more different activities  
Provision of community tennis court  
Use of grounds already available more efficiently & being maintained.  
More provision of facilities for teenagers  
By there being some designated areas - tennis courts etc  
Hard courts for basket ball, net ball  
football field cut regularly - more sports facilities  
By the PC/community offering to buy the football field  
Firstly Community Spirit needs to be revived  
skateboard ramp and BMX/scooter track  
Playground and BMX/skateboard area  
Park and skateboard ramps  
skateboard ramps and BMX/scooter track  
new cricket pavilion  
multi-use of cricket pitch - eg basketball pitch in corner  
improvement and maintenance of football pitche  
employing Glebe field as a sports resource  
keep the football field in good condition, set up cricket 2nd team  
tennis court and play area for small children  
tennis court  
tennis court  
Keep the playing (football) field cut!  
By having a new village hall with external recreation area and internal hall size for eg badminton, changing rooms etc  
By looking at and listening to what younger people want  
Redevelopment of football field catering for more sports  
Tennis courts, larger facilities for indoor activities  
Playground, tennis courts & swimming pool  
An area for different types of sports  
Tennis court  
Shared facilities  
More use of village hall  
Proper net on cricket pitch  
Good maintenance of football pitch  
Village tennis court  
football pitch improved  
Sports centre  
Upgrading of outdoor areas  
Possibly need a sports ground/recreation ground to house above (skateboard/bmx/tennis/volleyboard)

Tennis courts  
 Multi purpose social/leisure facility on cricket field  
 Swimming pool  
 Public tennis courts  
 Public tennis courts  
 Public tennis courts  
 Public tennis courts  
 Tennis courts  
 Over 50 keep fit  
 Cricket nets with good surface. Pub need upgrading  
 we could have some  
 more variety of sports open to us  
 Cricket, football, darts & pool are not for me. No other facilities available  
 Tennis court  
 Tennis court  
 Tennis court  
 Tennis courts  
 Tennis courts ans sort out the village cricket team  
 More youth activities  
 Maintenance of cricket net, football goals  
 New children's playground  
 Public Tennis Courts  
 Tidy up some of the footpaths to expand walking  
 A small gym wold be nice  
 Multi usage of cricket fiel and fund raising  
 Improve football field  
 raising money  
 Advertise the event  
 More advertising of them  
 Do not know enough to give a valid opinion  
 Get some  
 Need a tennis court  
 skate park to be built  
 don't just old people from outside village control cricket club

Question Number : 36 [131]

Which new clubs/activities would you attend in Culworth if they were provided?

Gardening Club	55 (42.0%)
Rambling Club	45 (34.4%)
University of the 3rd Age	24 (18.3%)
Art Club	38 (29.0%)
Drama	24 (18.3%)
Choir	18 (13.7%)
Music Society	18 (13.7%)
Band	4 (3.1%)
Young people's drama group	11 (8.4%)
Creative arts for children	13 (9.9%)
Youth Club	17 (13.0%)
Computer Club	27 (20.6%)

Question No 37 Question Text :Do you have any other suggestions?

Questionnaire Person

Number:	Number :	Answer :
-59	1	Karate
-59	4	Book club
4	2	Evening classes - education
8	1	Tai Chi, venue for local bands
13	1	It is a pity the WI lacks support from the village
14	1	Bridge!
14	2	Camera Club
15	1	Culworth gang-style group for the under 60s
16	1	Women's group
16	3	Indoor sport
16	4	Sports club
20	1	Wine tasting/appreciation club
20	2	Real Ale appreciation
23	3	girls netball
34	3	Tai Chi, cycle ramp
36	1	create place for young people to hang out with shelter
42	2	Household skills( DIY), Handycrafts. Hobbies
46	1	A womens group (not WI rules) practical crafts/needlework
46	2	Book club/library club - literature meetings and woodworking/craft
50	1	A village hall suitable for indoor sport
50	2	Village social events - quiz nights, race nights, dances
50	3	Whole village activities/events
50	4	Village hall to have a better suitability for table (indoor) sports
59	1	Karate
59	3	Book Club
61	2	yoga
63	1	Gymnasium
63	2	Photography/fitness trainer/hockey
85	1	Bridge
87	2	Adult football team
89	1	Historical society
89	2	Regular social events team like thorpe madeville - organising village quizzes, discos, family themed nights, bands etc
94	1	Poetry group, discussion group, photography and film society
97	4	Dance
99	1	Tennis
99	4	Tennis and cricket dirtected at the members of Culworth
104	1	90% of village people do not support existing clubs and occasions now do you think more will beany different
108	2	Brownies & Cubs
109	1	External learning ie:
114	1	Wine appreciation group
114	2	Club for 30 - 50 age range (social), Yoga group

Question Number : 38 [148]

In relation to educational facilities, does Culworth need any of the following?

Nursery School	35 (23.6%)
Playgroup	39 (26.4%)
More registered childminders	18 (12.2%)
After school clubs	59 (39.9%)
Holiday play scheme	57 (38.5%)
Youth Club(s)	78 (52.7%)
Adult education evening classes	70 (47.3%)

Other (please specify)	4 (2.7%)
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Other

Dog training for humans

Dog training for humans

No

No

Sorry I don't know existing facilities

Nursery/Playgroup - linked to the new village hall/school/cricket club building.

How about a village crafts weekend. There are many crafts people here who might be willing to share their skills with others. There might be grants available

Question Number : 39 [40]

Would you be prepared to help with the following leisure time activities for young people?

A Summer Play Scheme	11 (27.5%)
After-school club	13 (32.5%)
Uniformed organisations	7 (17.5%)
Youth Club(s)	24 (60.0%)

Question Number : 40 [203]

Do you think there should be special open spaces in Culworth for local people to picnic and for local children to play?

Yes	149 (73. %)
No	26 (12.8%)
No Opinion	28 (13.8%)

Question No 41 Question Text :If yes, would you like to suggest some possible sites?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

-59 3 Beside football pitch

-59 4 on the edge of the cricket pitch

2 1 Berry Hill

2 2 Berry Hill

2 3 Berry Hill

2 4 Berry Hill

4 1 Glebe field

4 2 Nursing home lake / surrounding land

8 1 The Mound

8 2 The Mound

8 3 The Mound

8 4 The Mound

12 2 The brook and woodlands at the bottom of cricket field, sadly near sewage works, but hey, you can't have it all

14 1 Football field

15 1 Cricket field / football field

15 2 We already have the Glebe Field

16	1	Needs to be an area that can easily be seen - safety of children
16	2	Field above Barley Hill
16	3	Field behind cricket field
16	4	corner of cricket field
18	1	Cricket field
19	1	Old football field in Back Lane
20	1	Overgrown playing field at the end of the concrete track could add children's swings etc
23	2	Cricket field, glebe field
23	3	a field near the centre of the village
25	1	Cricket Field, Glebe, Football field
28	3	football field
31	1	Glebe field
31	2	Glebe field
34	1	Glebe field and disused and decaying pockets of woodland
34	2	football pitch, similar to Sulgrave
35	1	edge of cricket field
35	2	Caslte field
36	1	corner of cricket field
36	3	Glebe field
46	1	Glebe Field
46	2	Glebe field, back of nursing home woodland area
50	1	Football Field
50	3	Cricket Field
50	4	Football Field
57	1	Football Pitch
57	2	Cricket Pitch
59	3	beside football pitch
59	4	on the edge of cricket pitch
60	1	Fields on edge of village
63	2	Castle grounds (Glebe field)
65	1	Cricket field, field at back of church (glebe)
65	2	playing field (football)
67	1	Cricket field edge of
75	1	Some of the surrounding farms
84	4	The glebe
87	1	The playing field
87	2	The playing field
89	1	Improvement to cricket field
89	2	cricket field, glebe field, pogles wood
94	1	Cricket Field
96	1	Football pitch, cricket pitch
96	2	Football pitch, cricket pitch
96	3	Football pitch, cricket pitch
98	2	Best left to landowners to suggest site as appropriate
99	1	Glebe field
99	4	Glebe field
100	3	Village cricket field
108	1	Edge of Cricket field in full view
110	1	Football field doesn't seem to be used anymore!
112	1	Allotment vacinity
112	2	Glebe
112	4	Football field/cricket field
114	2	Allotments
115	1	Glebe field
118	2	Cricket boundaries/Glebe Field
118	4	Football field

Question Number : 42 [222]

Should Culworth have a children's playground?

Yes	164 (73. %)
No	19 (8.6%)
No opinion	39 (17.6%)

Question No 43 Question Text :If yes, would you like to suggest some possible sites?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

2	2	By School (Berry Hill)
4	1	Glebe field
4	2	Cricket pitch / football pitch / old railway
8	1	Big field
8	2	Cricket field
8	3	Cricket field
8	4	Cricket field
12	1	Glebe Field/cricket pitch
12	2	Glebe field/cricket pitch
14	1	Allotment Area
15	1	Cricket field / football field
15	2	edge of cricket field
16	1	Needs to be an area that can easily be seen - safety of children
16	2	Field above Barley Hill
16	3	Field behind cricket field
16	4	corner of cricket field
17	1	Behind the Church
17	2	Cricket field
18	1	Cricket field
20	1	Football field
23	2	Cricket field, glebe
23	3	on cricket field
28	1	corner of cricket pitch
28	2	in cricket pitch
28	3	The Glebe
28	4	The Glebe
30	1	cricket grounds
30	2	castle grounds
31	1	Glebe field
31	2	Glebe field
32	1	cricket field, glebe field, football field
34	1	cricket pitch
35	1	must be visible for safety, top of cricket field
36	3	cricket field/football field/Glebe field
38	1	Glebe, cricket field
40	1	Glebe field
40	2	corner of the cricket field
46	1	Cricket field or football field
46	2	Cricket field or football field
50	1	Football Field
50	3	Cricket Field
50	4	Cricket Field
57	1	School

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57	2	Village Hall
58	1	Edge of football field
58	2	Edge of football field
63	1	Weston End where the house [Dersim Persim Petsim] is
65	1	cricket field. field behind church
65	2	playing field (football)
67	1	cricket field edge of
72	1	Part of cricket field
72	2	part of cricket field - glebe field ?
75	2	Cricket field
79	1	New Cricket field
80	1	Cricket field
80	3	Cricket field
83	2	Cricket field
86	1	area around cricket pavillion
87	1	the playing field (cricket field?)
88	1	Corner of cricket field
88	2	Corner of cricket field
89	1	Football pitch, school glebe field
89	2	cricket pitch, football pitch, glebe field, allotment field bottom of hill
96	1	Cricket pitch
96	2	Cricket pitch
96	3	Cricket pitch
98	2	Best left to landowners to suggest site as appropriate
99	1	Glebe field
99	4	Glebe field
100	3	Cricket field
108	1	Cricket field edge of
108	2	In the corner of the cricket field if Mrs trott agreeable
112	1	Allotment vacinity
112	2	Allotment vacinity
112	3	Cricket field
112	4	Football field
114	1	Cricket foeld , outside the boundary
114	2	Allotments (to encourage alltments to be used while children play close by
115	1	Glebe Field
115	2	Corner Cricket Field
118	2	Glebe field
118	3	Glebe field
118	4	Glebe field

Question Number : 44 [227]

How often do you use the following shops and services?

	daily	weekly	monthly	less frequently	never
Post Office/Shop	40 (17.6 %)	105 (46.%)	37 (16.3%)	26 (11.5%)	5 (2.2%)
Butcher (van or shop)	0 (0.0%)	67 (29.5%)	28 (12.3%)	40 (17.6%)	56 (24.7%)
Mobile Library	0 (0.0%)	2 (0.9%)	0 (0.0%)	2 (0.9%)	153 (67.%)
Mobile Fish Van	1 (0.4%)	23 (10.1%)	9 (4.0%)	14 (6.2%)	117 (51.%)
Garage	0 (0.0%)	3 (1.3%)	12 (5.3%)	70 (30.8%)	80 (35.2%)
Forge	0 (0.0%)	3 (1.3%)	22 (9.7%)	86 (37.9%)	64 (28.2%)

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Pub	6 (2.6%)	33 (14.5%)	35 (15.4%)	65 (28.6%)	47 (20.7%)
Village Hall	0 (0.0%)	16 (7.0%)	19 (8.4%)	103 (45.%)	44 (19.4%)
Church	1 (0.4%)	9 (4.0%)	39 (17.2%)	72 (31.7%)	63 (27.8%)

Question Number : 45 [190]

If you usually shop in Culworth is it because?

You like to support local shops	138 (72.%)
You like the social contact	54 (28.4%)
It saves time	78 (41.1%)
It saves transport costs	50 (26.3%)
You don't have transport to go elsewhere	11 (5.8%)
You need 'last minute' items	109 (57.%)
Other (please specify)	10 (5.3%)

Other

Butchers very good  
 good service, good value  
 quality  
 fantastic sausages at butchers  
 eggs!  
 in the case of the butcher it's the quality of meat as well as being local  
 Best butchers in area  
 Post Office facilities  
 All of the above (almost) except that you cannot say we have a 'shop'

Question Number : 46 [218]

How do you rate the postal service for Culworth ?

	good	reasonable	poor	no opinion
Location of post boxes	130 (59.%)	52 (23.9%)	21 (9.6%)	9 (4.1%)
Number of post boxes	85 (39.0%)	59 (27.1%)	45 (20.6%)	11 (5.0%)
Number of deliveries	141 (64.%)	61 (28.0%)	2 (0.9%)	1 (0.5%)
Number of collections	132 (60.%)	58 (26.6%)	3 (1.4%)	2 (0.9%)
Speed of service	124 (56.%)	58 (26.6%)	7 (3.2%)	5 (2.3%)
Size of post box (will it take large en	60 (27.5%)	61 (28.0%)	54 (24.8%)	10 (4.6%)
Other	5 (2.3%)	1 (0.5%)	1 (0.5%)	3 (1.4%)

Question Number : 47 [209]

If you use the local Post Office, please say what for?

Postal services	192 (91.%)
Pensions/Allowances	35 (16.7%)
Giro bank/savings certificates etc.	17 (8.1%)
TV Licence	52 (24.9%)
Paying bills	62 (29.7%)

Local event tickets	49 (23.4%)
Getting local information	100 (47. %)
Information leaflets	46 (22.0%)
Other services	37 (17.7%)

Question Number : 48 [233]

How important is Culworth school to the local community?

Very important	171 (73.%)
Important	35 (15.0%)
Not very important	5 (2.1%)
No opinion	22 (9.4% )

Question Number: 49 [221]

Would you like the facilities of Culworth School to be made available to the local community?

Yes	130 (58.%)
No	13 (5.9%)
No Opinion	78 (35.3%)

Question No 50 Question Text :If yes, what sort of facilities would you like to use?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

-59	4	Swimming pool
4	1	Classroom for evening classes
4	2	Use of hall. Playground for playing in
5	1	Computers/hall for meetings, concerts
6	1	Further Education
6	2	Further Education
8	1	Use of hall if village hall unavailable
12	1	Large meeting space, playground area.
12	2	Shared meeting rooms, sports space(if we rebuilt it), after school club for children
14	1	Alternative to village hall
15	1	The Hall / Music equipment
15	2	The Hall / Music equipment
16	1	Hall & playground for sport/recreation
16	2	After school clubs
17	1	Computer club. Access in the holidays
17	2	Functions/good kitchen & hall. Parking
18	1	Swimming pool if reinstalled
23	1	After school clubs, recreation, community groups
23	2	Hard courts, library
23	3	Playground, one classrooom for after school
25	1	after school club, adult education, internet cafe
28	1	the hall, playground
28	3	the hall, playground
31	1	recreational activities
32	2	Playground
33	1	use for adult education
34	1	playground and hall
34	2	playground and hall
34	3	playground and hall

35	1	the hall
36	1	hall to play 5-a-side football in
38	1	the playground for my children to play in, french lessons after school
46	1	Kilns, computers, hard standing play areas, general building use for adult education
46	2	Kilns, computers, hard standing play areas, general building use for adult education
50	2	Adult Education
50	3	Clubs
50	4	Playground for sporting clubs
51	2	Swimming Pool
57	1	Evening classes for adults
57	2	Playground/Tennis courts?
59	4	Swimming pool
63	2	Art Club
65	1	Tennis court
65	2	Tennis court
72	1	Anything out of school hours otherwise provided by village hall
72	2	Anything out of school hours otherwise provided by village hall
73	1	Photocopying. Inf re school
75	2	Evening classes
77	1	Swim pool
77	2	Swim pool
77	3	Swim pool
77	4	Swim pool
80	3	Sports stuff/computers
82	2	Use of the hall for village events
83	2	Education classes
84	5	Playground
85	1	You could have evening classes, clubs etc
86	1	classrooms for evening classes
88	1	Evening classes
88	2	Evening classes
89	1	Rooms for meetings
89	2	Meeting rooms, after school club
102	3	Playground
104	1	Evening classes
104	2	Evening classes
107	1	Social projects ie technology etc
108	1	Use of computers, events, classes etc
112	1	Could use ramps (if there were any) in playground for kids in summer
112	2	Play area
112	4	Playground
114	1	classrooms for adult education
114	2	clubs/sport for all also adult education classes in evenings/weekends
116	1	Adult education - Language classes etc
116	2	Computers
117	1	Hall, playground
118	1	Glebe Field
118	2	Glebe field
118	3	Glebe field
118	4	Playground/glebe field

Question Number: 51 [211]

Is the Church in Culworth important to you?

For Sunday worship	83 (39.3%)
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For baptisms	74 (35.1%)
Weddings and funerals	106 (50.%)
As a focal point for the community	117 (55.%)
As an historic building	160 (75.%)
Every place should have one	84 (39.8%)
Other	9 (4.3%)

Question Number : 52 [194]

Would you like to see St Mary's Church used for the following activities?

	Yes	No	No opinion
Concerts	151 (77. %)	19 (9.8%)	18 (9.3%)
Meetings	67 (34.5 %)	34 (17.5%)	36 (18.6%)
Playgroup	46 (23.7%)	64 (33.0%)	25 (12.9%)
Youth Club(s)	40 (20.6 %)	64 (33.0%)	27 (13.9%)
Village library	77 (39.7%)	30 (15.5%)	30 (15.5%)
Other (please specify)	6 (3.1%)	7 (3.6%)	5 (2.6%)

Other

Harvest Supper/lunch

exhibitions

exhibitions

For the site of local archive materials and available to interested people visitors/ locals etc

Visual Arts? Films?

Yes but some modification would be needed for most of these church building is an important facility for the community and should be used by as many as possible

Question Number : 53 [227]

Do you think the Village Hall is adequate for the needs of Culworth now and in the future?

Yes	76 (33.5%)
No	111 (48. %)
No opinion	40 (17.6%)

Question No 54 Question Text :If no, how is it lacking?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

-59	3	Disabled access/stage for plays, concerts etc
2	1	Needs modernising to today's requirements - otherwise it will close
2	2	Needs modernising to today's requirements - otherwise it will close
2	3	Needs modernising to today's requirements - otherwise it will close
2	4	Needs modernising to today's requirements - otherwise it will close
4	1	Poor quality building & no garden, grounds too small / no stage
4	2	Poor quality building & no garden, grounds too small / no stage
5	1	poor sound and other insulation. Building wearing out. Disabled access
6	1	Disabled access / size
6	2	Disabled access / size
7	1	Ramp for disabled people
8	1	It may be adequate now but if activities increase, it may not be
12	1	Too inflexible, parking is poor too cold/hot, poor acoustics, depressing, not enough space for sports or recreation

12	2	Space, height, parking, facilities
14	1	Space & car parking area
15	1	Too small, in need of contact repair, but nice building
15	2	poor access & parking. Building slowly deteriorating
16	1	Not big enough, not modern enough, not good facilities
16	2	No Parking, wrong shape
16	3	Not big enough, poor facilities
16	4	Heating not v. good & everything is a bit shabby, not exactly pleasant
17	1	Accessibility - steps
17	2	Parking
19	1	Not large enough
20	1	In need of modernisation, combining with the cricket pavillion and providing an alternative to the pub
23	1	Size only one room, access
23	2	Size, parking
23	3	nothing in it - just a hall
25	1	Becoming expensive to maintain - no parking
28	1	wheelchair access
28	2	wheelchair access
28	3	wheelchair access
28	4	wheelchair access
32	1	needs rebuilding somewhere else ie parking
32	2	needs modernising, updating
35	1	too small and inaccessible
35	2	plans need to be advanced for replacement
36	1	needs to be bigger and more widely available for kids
36	3	parking awful
37	1	too small, hopeless parking
38	1	too small, no stage, kitchen and toilet facilities inadequate
39	1	not big enough
39	2	not big enough
40	1	needs updating
46	1	It's not more than a timber shack, outlived its useful life, energy inefficient, timber construction = increased maintenance, poor access, no parking, single room, no small meeting area, hell for disabled, poor storage facilities
46	2	timber construction = increased maintenance, poor access, no parking, single room, no small meeting area, hell for disabled, poor storage facilities no 'sporting' (eg badminton etc) facilities
47	1	Not a very attractive place, poor accommodation - poor heating
48	1	Old/small/no useable outside area
50	1	Not fit for loud music/late parties or sport. Too small
50	2	Too small limited life
50	3	not big enough for loud music/discos
50	4	Too small almost falling down
55	1	Disabled access
57	1	Disabled facilities
57	2	Disabled facilities
58	1	Hall adequate, Parking poor
58	2	Hall adequate, Parking poor
59	4	Disabled acces / stage for concets etc
61	1	Needs updating
61	2	Could be larger
63	1	Not enough activities
63	2	Too small
72	1	to old, facilities not adequate for current pastimes, parking
72	2	to old, facilities not adequate for current pastimes, parking

73	1	Not modern enough
74	1	Outdated
74	2	In need of modernisation
75	1	Rather poor accomodation, not inviting
75	2	Rather poor accomodation, not inviting
78	1	Needs Modernising
78	2	Needs modernising
84	1	Size
84	2	Facilities
84	3	Size, facilities lacking
84	4	Size
84	5	facilities in it and its size compared to village (too small)
88	1	No parking - no acces for disabled - no small room for meetings
88	2	No parking - no acces for disabled - no small room for meetings
89	1	car parking/access for push chairs
89	2	car parking, size - builsd a new one to replace cricket pavillion and create a car park down there to deal with school parking problems. Also, handy parking for shop
94	1	Not viable long term - should be amalgamated with pavillion
97	4	Space, colour
99	1	Poor facilities
99	4	Poor facilities & out of date
100	1	In need new building
100	2	In need new building
102	2	TV & Video, games facilities - ping pong
104	1	Old, no access for disabled. Difficult to keep clean
104	2	Heating system old! Toilets inadequate. Small.
107	1	Facilities for social inclusion - more than a building!!
108	1	Space around it for fetes etc - interior OK
114	1	Limited size demonstrated by jubilee quiz
114	2	size, facilities, steps a problem
115	1	Needs better maintenance (in and out)
115	2	Needs better maintenance (in and out)
118	2	Old/not terribly clean
118	4	Shoddy

Question Number: 55 [206]

Do you have any difficulty in getting to the following?

	often	occasionally	never
Hospital	6 (2.9%)	18 (8.7%)	170 (82. %)
Doctor	9 (4.4%)	23 (11.2%)	165 (80.%)
Chemist	8 (3.9%)	21 (10.2%)	159 (77. %)
Chiropodist	6 (2.9%)	8 (3.9%)	136 (66.%)
Optician	7 (3.4%)	14 (6.8%)	162 (78. %)
Dentist	9 (4.4%)	18 (8.7%)	157 (76.%)
Other medical facility	0 (0.0%)	6 (2.9%)	109 (52.%)

Question Number : 56 [212]

Do you have problems in collecting medicine on prescription?

Yes	16 (7.5%)
No	162 (76. %)
Not applicable	34 (16.0%)

Question Number : 57 [221]

Where do you usually get information about events taking place in Culworth ?

Notice Boards	128 (57.%)
Newsletter	171 (77. %)
Banbury Guardian	106 (48.%)
Other local paper	2 (0.9%)
Post Office	155 (70.%)
Website	43 (19.5%)
Other	23 (10.4%)

Question Number : 58 [224]

Do you think the amount of information available about what's going on in Culworth is?

Good	98 (43.8 %)
Reasonable	106 (47. %)
Poor	12 (5.4% )
No opinion	8 (3.6%)

Question Number : 59 [149]

If you have access to the Internet do you use it for? Tick all that are applicable

Emailing	128 (85. %)
Grocery Shopping	19 (12.8%)
Other Shopping	49 (32.9%)
Accessing Culworth Village Website	47 (31.5%)
Local information from County/District/	23 (15.4%)
Business purposes	68 (45.6%)
General Information	118 (79.%)
Other	20 (13.4%)

Question Number : 60 [76]

If you do not have a computer or Internet access would you like to have a public computer and Internet access point?

Yes	34 (44.7%)
No	42 (55.3%)

Question Number: 61 [225]

Have you ever attended a meeting of the Parish Council, including the Parish Assembly?

Yes	82 (36.4%)
No	143 (63.%)

Question Number : 62 [82]

If yes, when was the most recent meeting you attended?

Within the last year	44 (53.7%)
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Between 1-2 years ago	13 (15.9%)
Between 2-4 years ago	7 (8.5%)
5+ years	18 (22.0%)

Question Number : 63 [215]

How well does the local council publicise its decisions and activities?

Very well	22 (10.2%)
Reasonably well	104 (48. %)
Badly	52 (24.2%)
No opinion	37 (17.2%)

Question Number : 64 [221]

What are your views on the standard of the following environmental services in Culworth ?

	good	reasonable	poor	no opinion	not applicable
Mains water supply	169 (76.%)	40 (18.1%)	4 (1.8%)	1 (0.5%)	0 (0.0%)
Mains electricity supply	126 (57. %)	66 (29.9%)	20 (9.0%)	1 (0.5%)	0 (0.0%)
Refuse collection	123 (55.%)	72 (32.6 %)	17 (7.7%)	1 (0.5%)	0 (0.0%)
Roadside care/street cleaning	45 (20.4)	111 (50.%)	46 (20.8%)	5 (2.3%)	2 (0.9%)
Roads	16 (7.2%)	108 (48.%)	80 (36.2%)	1 (0.5%)	1 (0.5%)
Pavements	27 (12.2%)	105 (47. %)	68 (30.8%)	2 (0.9%)	2 (0.9%)
Verges	24 (10.9%)	108 (48.%)	61 (27.6%)	4 (1.8%)	0 (0.0%)
Winter weather service (snow clearance)	19 (8.6%)	66 (29.9%)	85 (38.5%)	21 (9.5%)	10 (4.5%)

Question Number : 65 [220]

Is the appearance of the following?

	Good	Reasonable	Poor	No opinion
Village Green	131 (59. %)	70 (31.8%)	15 (6.8%)	2 (0.9%)
Cricket Field	165 (75.%)	40 (18.2%)	0 (0.0%)	4 (1.8%)
Football Field	22 (10.0%)	60 (27.3%)	86 (39.1%)	31 (14.1%)
Glebe Field	64 (29.1%)	75 (34.1%)	13 (5.9%)	28 (12.7%)
Churchyard	202 (91.%)	2 (0.9%)	0 (0.0%)	5 (2.3%)
Churchyard extension	149 (67.%)	35 (15.9%)	0 (0.0%)	15 (6.8%)

Question Number : 66 [190]

Does Culworth suffer from any of the following types of disturbance?

Traffic noise	108 (56.%)
Farm animals in gardens/on roads	7 (3.7%)
Hunting	54 (28.4%)
Low-flying aircraft	112 (58.%)
Noise pollution	30 (15.8%)
Light pollution	20 (10.5%)
Other (please specify)	16 (8.4%)

Other

Barking dogs

Fumes from inefficient extractor at pub should be expelled at a higher level.

Also very noisy

car alarms

When you choose to live in a village you take what comes with it

tractor during harvest time with large trailers of bales

Dust on road (diesel particles?)

Hunting is not a disturbance as the question assumes

Barking dogs

speeding traffic, parking congestion

None

None

None

None

Bird scarers (like world war 3) between Nov - May

traffic noise due to speed/car parking, blocking access

Smells from sewage works at times v. offensive

Smell from sewage treatment works

Question Number : 67 [207]

In relation to paths and street lights, would you like to see any of the following in Culworth ?

Cycle paths	61 (29.5%)
More footpaths	48 (23.2%)
More street lights	47 (22.7%)
More environmentally sensitive street	1 82 (39.6%)
No/less street lights	15 (7.2%)
More pavements	30 (14.5%)
Dropped kerbs	16 (7.7%)
Higher kerbs	69 (33.3%)
None of the above	34 (16.4%)

Question Number : 68 [232]

Would you be prepared to keep certain items separate from your refuse for recycling if a separate collection was made?

Yes	197 (84.%)
No	20 (8.6% )
No opinion	15 (6.5%)

Question Number : 69 [218]

Are the local waste disposal facilities adequately publicised?

Yes	64 (29.4%)
No	126 (57.%)
No opinion	28 (12.8%)

Question Number : 70 [211]

Would you use the following?

Bottle bank	175 (82.%)
Public bulk rubbish tip	142 (67.%)
Skip for garden waste	143 (67.%)
Newspaper bank	164 (77.%)
Clothing bank	128 (60. %)
Can bank	135 (64. %)

Question No 71 Question Text :Are there any places where litter is a problem in Culworth ?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

2	1	No
2	2	No
2	3	No
2	4	No
4	2	Sgrave Road 'McDonald's Dump'
7	1	No
8	1	No
8	2	No
8	3	No
8	4	No
12	1	No
12	2	No
13	1	Litter dropped in various parts of the village
14	1	No
15	1	Nowhere in particular
15	2	No
16	1	No
16	2	No
16	3	Yes
16	4	Yes
20	1	The Green
21	1	No
23	2	Bus Stops
23	3	Round Village Hall
25	1	No
32	1	no
33	1	No
34	1	most places, except back of the school
35	1	no
36	1	no
36	2	no
36	3	no

37	1	occasional dumping at roadside
38	1	no
39	1	Banbury Lane (from cars)
39	2	Banbury Lane (from cars)
46	1	football field and verges on roads going out
46	2	football field and verges on roads going out
50	1	Outside school/church
50	3	Main Street
50	4	Outside school
52	1	No
52	2	No
52	3	No
73	1	On pavements
75	2	do not know
76	1	Seems like in the last few years people don't care and throw rubbish everywhere
76	2	Seems like in the last few years people don't care and throw rubbish everywhere
82	1	Roadside gateways
86	1	Roadside verges
86	2	Roadside verges
88	1	When black bags put out at night - torn open by cats/dogs/foxes
88	2	When black bags put out at night - torn open by cats/dogs/foxes
94	1	Exiting village towards junction Sulgrave Road
98	2	only after the weekly collection and we pick that up ourselves
99	1	High street
99	4	High Street and football field
102	1	Football pitch, concrete road
103	1	No
104	1	All areas
104	2	All areas
108	2	Around the green occasionally
111	1	Verges
114	1	Generally clean & Tidy
114	2	After the bin men have been.
115	1	Bus shelters

Question No 72 Question Text :Are there any places where dog mess is a problem in Culworth?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

2	1	No
2	2	No
2	3	No
2	4	No
4	1	Puzzle Lane
4	2	Outside Vicarage
7	1	No
8	1	No
8	2	No
8	3	No
8	4	No
12	1	Occasionally in Queens Street
12	2	Sometimes on the path between the Rectory and school gate
13	1	Not known
14	1	yes
14	2	yes
15	1	Road/path from Rectory to school gate

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16	1	Not recently
16	2	No
16	3	Yes
16	4	Yes
18	1	High Street pavement
19	1	Old Barley Hill
20	1	Everywhere
21	1	No
23	3	Down concrete Path
25	1	None known
26	1	Banks & ditches on outskirts of village
27	1	Path by pub - concrete road
28	1	on pavement, especially along by the school
28	2	on pavements
28	3	on pavements
28	4	on pavements
31	2	path outside the Old Rectory towards the church
32	1	Queens Street, on pavement outside vicarage and church
32	2	Queens Street, on pavement outside vicarage and church
34	1	concrete path
35	1	yes
35	2	most places
36	1	no
36	2	no
36	3	no
38	1	no
39	1	footpaths and grass verges outside houses
39	2	footpaths and grass verges outside houses
40	1	football field
40	2	concrete path
43	1	Back Lane
43	2	Back Lane
43	3	Back Lane
46	1	School lane & pathway along front of church
46	2	School lane & pathway along front of church
48	1	Pavements
50	1	On all pavements
50	3	pavements
50	4	grass
52	1	No
52	2	No
52	3	No
54	1	On concrete road where children play
55	1	Most pavements sometimes
57	1	Occasionally on pavement at bottom end of High Street
57	2	Occasionally on pavement at bottom end of High Street
58	1	The path between the end of the concrete road leading to the football field and the pub
58	2	The path between the end of the concrete road leading to the football field and the pub
63	2	High Street/Bridge Street
65	1	Footpath alongside pub
65	2	Footpath alongside pub
72	1	back lane pub lane
72	2	back lane pub lane
75	2	do not know
76	1	The footpaths (pavements) The notices should read 'please clean up after your dog' (not 'do not allow your dog to foul path')

80	1	Outside our house
80	2	All the way up the high street
80	3	All the way up the high street
82	1	On footpaths
84	1	By the school
84	2	By the school
84	3	Everywhere
84	4	Everywhere
84	5	Back Lane
88	1	Some footpaths
88	2	Some footpaths
89	1	lane/footpath by pub
94	1	not as often as it once was
98	1	Grass verges
98	2	Grass verges
99	1	Everywhere
99	4	All over the place
104	1	All areas
104	2	All areas
107	1	Football field and many other places/paths
108	1	Some footpaths eg between pub and concrete road
108	2	On the pavements and verges throughout the village. On the footpath at the side of the pub.
110	1	Yes
110	2	Yes
112	1	Pavements
112	2	pavements, verges
112	4	pavements
113	1	Did have problem in High Street but problem seems to be solved
113	2	Pub footpath
114	2	Allotments
115	1	Path by red Lion (beside pub to concrete road)
118	1	Pathways & Verges
118	2	Pathways & Verges
118	3	Pathways & Verges
118	4	Pathways & Verges

Question Number : 73 [97]

If you are a dog owner would you use dog mess bins if they were provided?

Yes	83 (85.6%)
No	14 (14.4%)

Question Number : 74 [213]

What do you think should be done to help protect and enhance the local environment of Culworth ?

Recycling	140 (65. %)
Improved public transport	103 (48.%)
Community composting	45 (21.15)
Car sharing	45 (21.1%)
More employment locally	47 (22.1%)
Improved rights of way	35 (16.4%)
Reduce traffic	116 (54. %)

Other	9 (4.2%)
Nothing	8 (3.8%)
Don't know	5 (2.3%)

Question Number : 75 [224]

Which elements of the countryside around Culworth do you value?

A sense of place	102 (45.%)
Local identity	100 (44. %)
Tranquillity	178 (79. %)
Openness	160 (71. %)
Traditional walls & verges	144 (64.%)
Trees & green spaces	192 (85. %)

Question Number : 76 [197]

Do you think that any of the following landscape features in Culworth need to be protected?

Hedges	135 (68.%)
Groups of trees	147 (74. %)
Single large trees	159 (80. %)
Open spaces	175 (88.%)
Walls	144 (73.%)
Other (please specify)	8 (4.1%)

Other

Use of local materials eg Hornton Stone

Buildings

Village green and Cricket field

Railway farmland

Question Number : 77 [208]

What do you think could be done to improve the environment of Culworth ?

	very important	worth doing	not necessary	don't know
Plant more trees	59 (28.4%)	58 (27.9%)	31 (14.9%)	5 (2.4%)
Cut down some trees	2 (1.0%)	6 (2.9%)	100 (48.%)	7 (3.4%)
Look after woodlands	99 (47.6%)	56 (26.9%)	6 (2.9%)	2 (1.0%)
Preserve single trees in special places	103 (49.%)	56 (26.9%)	11 (5.3%)	4 (1.9%)
Preserve old orchards	58 (27.9%)	56 (26.9 %)	22 (10.6%)	15 (7.2%)
Repair old walls	118 (56.%)	55 (26.4%)	7 (3.4%)	2 (1.0%)
Keep hedges short and tidy	69 (33.2%)	54 (26.0%)	26 (12.5%)	3 (1.4%)
Let hedges grow naturally	27 (13.0%)	29 (13.9%)	46 (22.1%)	17 (8.2%)
Plant more hedges and trees	43 (20.7%)	57 (27.4%)	35 (16.8%)	8 (3.8%)
Don't know	1 (0.5%)	0 (0.0%)	2 (1.0%)	3 (1.4%)

Question Number : 78 [228]

How important are the wild plants, birds and animals of the countryside around Culworth to you?

	very important	important	not very important	no opinion
Wild flowers	183 (80.%)	33 (14.5%)	5 (2.2%)	0 (0.0%)
Birds	192 (84.%)	28 (12.3%)	3 (1.3%)	1 (0.4%)
Wild Animals	174 (76.%)	31 (13.6%)	6 (2.6%)	1 (0.4%)
Never seen any	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	1 (0.4%)

Question Number : 79 [222]

In relation to local footpaths and bridleways, can you answer the following questions?

	Yes	No	No opinion
Do you know where the local paths are?	178 (80.%)	41 (18.5%)	3 (1.4%)
Can you use them without difficulty?	112 (50.%)	68 (30.6%)	23 (10.4%)
Are they well signposted?	88 (39.6%)	83 (37.4%)	23 (10.4%)
Would you be willing to maintain them?	57 (25.7%)	85 (38.3%)	21 (9.5%)

Question Number : 80 [174]

If you experienced difficulties when using local footpaths and bridleways, which if any, of the following difficulties did you find?

Farm animals	32 (18.4%)
High stiles	27 (15.5%)
Locked gates	36 (20.7%)
Barbed wire	36 (20.7%)
Mud/water	56 (32.2%)
Crops across path	48 (27.6%)
Other users	0 (0.0%)
Bushes/nettles	79 (45.4%)
No signposts	46 (26.4%)
Other	7 (4.0%)
No difficulty experienced	57 (32.8%)

Question Number : 81 [220]

What do you think could be done with the local roads, lanes and paths to make the countryside more attractive?

	very important	important	worth doing	not necessary	don't know
Remove litter	127 (57.%)	36 (16.4%)	13 (5.9%)	8 (3.6%)	2 (0.9%)
Keep roadside	66 (30.0%)	68 (30.9%)	25 (11.4%)	23 (10.5%)	3 (1.4%)

verges mown and tidy					
Let roadside verges grow for wildlife	26 (11.8%)	29 (13.2%)	14 (6.4%)	53 (24.1%)	6 (2.7%)
Stop vehicle damage to road verges	84 (38.2%)	47 (21.4%)	25 (11.4%)	11 (5.0%)	5 (2.3%)
Signpost paths and bridleways	48 (21.8%)	66 (30.0%)	29 (13.2%)	5 (2.3%)	5 (2.3%)
Repair gates stiles and bridges	50 (22.7%)	65 (29.5%)	37 (16.8%)	6 (2.7%)	5 (2.3%)
Close some footpaths and bridleways	3 (1.4%)	2 (0.9%)	4 (1.8%)	88 (40.0%)	22 (10.0%)
Open more footpaths and bridleways	24 (10.9%)	16 (7.3%)	25 (11.4%)	57 (25.9%)	11 (5.0%)
Remove unnecessary sign posts	20 (9.1%)	18 (8.2%)	45 (20.5%)	45 (20.5%)	10 (4.5%)
Make paths accessible to those with disabilities	42 (19.1%)	31 (14.1%)	44 (20.0%)	26 (11.8%)	10 (4.5%)
Reduce traffic	73 (33.2%)	34 (15.5%)	23 (10.5%)	21 (9.5%)	8 (3.6%)

Question Number : 82 [207]

If suggestions raised by the questionnaire require money for implementation, where should that money come from?

Private contributions	69 (33.3%)
Moderate council tax increases	114 (55.%)
Higher council tax increases	11 (5.3%)
Fundraising	158 (76.%)
Sponsorship	120 (58.%)
Other	17 (8.2%)

Question No 83 Question Text :How would you like Culworth to develop?

Questionnaire Person

Number: Number : Answer :

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|---|---|---|
| 2 | 1 | I would like VCulworth to remain largely as it is, no more building, preserve what it has, tidy up parts and create a close community |
| 2 | 2 | for the village to stay the same  |
| 2 | 3 | remain as a small village, with no more house being built, especially council house and estates                                       |
| 2 | 4 | remain as a small village, with no more house being built, especially council house and estates                                       |
| 4 | 1 | Progress with concensus   |
| 4 | 2 | Maintain the character but improve 'openess'  |
| 5 | 1 | In a planned expansion of starter houses 'bulging' from one side of the village.  |
| 7 | 1 | A few more shops  |

8	1	Improved bus services, continuation of post office, improved shop.
11	1	Culworth is fine as it is
11	2	The school is too big, causing parking at school times a problem
13	1	More activities
14	1	Don't spoil it!
15	1	Restoration of character, and continuing sense of community
16	1	Carefully, with proper regard for those already living here
16	2	Sympathetic development in keeping with existing building
16	3	Stay as it is but still have good facilities
16	4	Stay as it is plus more clubs etc
17	1	More Parking
17	2	No Change
18	1	Maintain and improve what we have - otherwise no major changes required
19	1	Left as it is
19	2	Left as it is
20	1	More Community Services
20	2	Recreational areas for all ages. More community spirit. Traffic control for safety of children
21	1	Slowly according to future needs
22	1	Stay as it is
23	1	Facilities for the young in the village
23	2	more for families and increased leisure
23	3	more facilities for children
24	1	To be as it is, unspoilt
25	1	2/3 starter homes and 2/3 old people's bungalows (for those with restricted means))
26	1	Help the elderly have more independence (also teenagers) by a better bus service
28	1	more facilities for young people, no more houses to be built
28	2	facilities for children and development of redundant buildings/snack house projects for business
28	3	a youth club
28	4	nor more houses and more clubs for young people and park equipment and ramps
30	2	Cars (parking) to be taken off the road, maybe use of farmland for parking?
30	3	more for teenagers
31	1	remain a small, quiet village
32	1	affordable housing for first-time buyers and families
32	2	maintain a sense of community and affordable housing for local people
34	1	maintain its visual appearance, sprititual rather than physical expansion
34	2	no more building, development of community spirit
35	1	size stay the same - more community life
36	1	give more facilities for the kids and teenagers in the village
36	3	not so divided in opinions
37	1	Very carefully. Care in planning permission for new houses/choice of materials, doors and fenestration- diamond-shaped windows not native, glaring bricks, fake stonework, over-bright roof tiles
39	1	retain small community spirit and sense of rural tranquility, sympathetic development, to prevent it becoming a dormitory village
40	1	remain as a small friendly village community, being sensitive to moving and developing into the future
41	1	In keeping with how it is
45	1	Keep small, keep the village feel
46	1	Preserved with local improvements where needed. Some development but with care
46	2	Slowly & carefully
48	1	Village to become larger
50	1	Gently
50	3	Steadily
50	4	Steadily
51	1	Maintain as is
51	2	Maintain as is

52	1	Stay as it is
52	2	Stay as it is
52	3	Stay as it is
53	1	More housing for younger people
55	1	More occasions for people to do things together - ? with others nearby villages
57	1	Affordable family homes
57	2	Affordable family homes
58	1	Avoid over expansion in order to keep the character of Culworth as a small village
61	1	Traffic Calming, place for children to play
61	2	More affordable housing, better childcare, less traffic
63	1	Generally kept tidy and not increase housing
63	2	More night classes, Saturday morning opening of all shops. Once a year village ball
69	1	Don't lose present character
69	2	More community groups/activities
70	1	More youth activities. development (housing) on individual plots or barn conversions
70	2	More youth activities. development (housing) on individual plots or barn conversions
72	1	Evolution not revolution
73	1	Limited extra housing.
74	1	Some expansion of the village is necessary in order to keep the services we have now and possibly increase them
74	2	If footpaths are overgrown & difficult to walk this is usually due to lack of use by public
75	1	In broad lines ' to remain as it is'
75	2	In broad lines ' to remain as it is'
79	1	Traffic control - speed bumps etc
79	2	Post office open for longer at weekends - maybe Sunday for newspapers
82	2	Don't think it should grow any bigger apart from affordable housing for retired people.
85	2	Do not allow further expansion of the village. Keep what we have in good condition
86	1	Retain its 'village' state rather than become a small 'town'
87	1	Preferably with as little building development as possible so to preserve a small country village. Plant more native trees. Only thing that needs development is the village spirit, sense of community
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88	1	With modest housing development
88	2	With modest housing development
89	2	More selective housing for young families to encourage new blood
94	1	For all to support the tidy village - not merely the notion of it
98	1	To see young people able to afford to buy houses, raise families and live here with safe places to play off increasingly busy roads.
98	2	To rebuild it as a proper community and to safeguard its future for generations to come. To build on what it already has and improve what it needs for a healthy future
99	1	Take measures to slow down traffic
99	4	I would like to see an increase in sports facilities for the community, and help produce a closer society
100	1	More policing - bring back village police
102	1	Maintenance of what we have. Sensible development of facilities
104	1	People live here - cos they like it, as it is
104	2	People live here - cos they like it, as it is
105	1	Slowly
107	1	Focus on environmental features and provide access to information through technology - either school or village centre
111	1	Dislike change
112	1	Become more child friendly
112	2	Become more of a community
112	4	More facilities for children
114	1	Build or convert buildings to provide a few low cost rented homes

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114	2	Keep it the size it is but with more events
117	1	To achieve a balance between the provision of a range of facilities for all age groups but without jeopardising the quality of Culworth as an old and lovely village
118	1	Maintain and develop existing community resources. Improve facilities.
118	2	Maintain and develop existing community resources. Improve facilities.
118	3	Maintain and develop existing community resources. Improve facilities.
118	4	Maintain and develop existing community resources. Improve facilities.
119	1	Naturally without pre-meditation
119	2	Without biased questionnaires